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KARACHI FOR RCO; CASABLANCA FOR RTC

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SUBJECT: UNATTENDED OPERATIONS

REF: CAIRO 4461; STATE 72243

1. RE PARA 1 REFTTEL - WHILE UNATTENDED OPERATION RESTRICTS TRANSMISSIONS TO CONFIDENTIAL AND BELOW, WE FEEL THAT THERE WOULD BE A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF TELEGRAMS IN THIS CATEGORY TO MAKE UNATTENDED OPERATION WORTHWHILE. THEREFORE, WE SUGGEST WE GO FORWARD WITH UNATTENDED OPERATIONS FOR UNCLASSIFIED ONLY AS SOON AS THE KEYING MATERIAL IS IN PLACE IN ATS AND CAIRO. KW-7 KEY CARD SYSTEM, USKAY 9030, EDITION A, IS BEING ISSUED FOR UNATTENDED OPERATIONS, UNDER TN 1280, SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE CAIRO 4/20.

2. RE PARA 2, POST'S CONCERN REGARDING POWER OUTAGES IS WELL TAKEN, HOWEVER, WE FEEL THAT EVEN THOUGH THERE IS A CONFIDENTIAL

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POSSIBILITY THAT THE KW-7'S MIGHT DROP SET WE SHOULD STILL

PROCEED WITH UNATTENDED OPERATIONS. TELEGRAMS SENT UP TO THAT POINT WILL EASE THE ATS STORAGE PROBLEM AND IT WILL MEAN FEWER TELEGRAMS HAVING TO BE SENT TO YOU THE NEXT MORNING.

3. RE PARA 3 - URGE POST TO EXAMINE THE POSSIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN UNCLASSIFIED WIREROOM. NO ADDITIONAL CIRCUITS WOULD BE REQUIRED, AND A RED/BLACK SWITCH COULD BE USED FOR INTERFACE (UNIT CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE). IF POST DEEMS WIREROOM FEASIBLE AND DETERMINES THAT ADDITIONAL FSL POSITION(S) REQUIRED, ADVISE DEPARTMENT SOONEST SO THAT NECESSARY ACTIONS CAN BE UNDERTAKEN TO OBTAIN SUCH POSITION(S).

4. RE PARA 5 - ADVISE WHEN ALARM SYSTEM IS INSTALLED WHEREUPON UNATTENDED OPERATIONS THRU THE CONFIDENTIAL LEVEL WILL BEGIN.

5. WOULD APPRECIATE, IF POSSIBLE, TO KNOW WHAT PERCENT-

AGE OF YOUR OVERNIGHT TELEGRAMS ARE SECRET OR TOP SECRET?
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